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LAST BIG RUSS FORT TO TEUTONS

GERMANS CAPTURE NOVO GEORGIEVSK, ALSO 20,000 PRISONERS.

CAN ENTER SLAV LAND SAFELY; KAISER THERE

Wilhelm Looks on as Forces Pound Down Last Barriers to Mighty Fortifications.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, August 20.—It is officially announced that Novo Georgievsk, the Russians' last mighty fortress in Poland, has been captured by the German and Austrian forces. The capture also included 20,000 Russian prisoners and a vast quantity of war materials.

The Novo Georgievsk fortress was the last to be held by the Russians on the Vistula river. It removes the danger to the Teutonic forces from sudden sorties by the enemy and permits the German armies to pursue the fleeing Russians to a better advantage and without the constant danger of being trapped or ensnared that heretofore has always had to be considered in the eastern campaign.

Fort Novo Georgievsk has been under assault for twelve days, the enemy gradually closing in a little closer each day. By using the biggest guns available the Germans were enabled to bombard the outlying forts one by one, and gradually advance.

The Kaiser and the general staff personally witnessed the capture of the main fortress.

ALLIES GAIN ON GALLIPOLI

Turkish Forces Defeated Again on Sulva Bay, Paris Announces—Means Big Gain.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, August 20.—It is announced that the British and French have made more important gains on the Gallipoli peninsula, near Sulva bay.

DRAINAGE BOARD TO ELECT

Members of Nodaway River District No. 2 to Choose New Officers August 31, Near Clearmont.

A meeting of the board of supervisors of Nodaway river drainage district No. 2 has been called for 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, August 31, at the Clearmont bridge, to elect three members of the board. One is to serve three years, another four years and another five years.

Each acre in the drainage district represents one share in the election. The call was issued by W. M. Blackford, president, and Guy C. Clary, secretary of the board, here a few days ago.

The meeting is to be held on the Nodaway river bridge between Clearmont and Elmo, so that it will be nearer to all concerned in the district.

To Show Jungle Film Tonight.

The Empire theater will portray the feature photoplay "Between Savage and Tiger" tonight. It relates to adventures and shows scenes in the jungles of India.

VILLA AND CARRANZA CLASH

Opposing Mexican factions in greatest battle today, near Torreon, El Paso Reports.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

El Paso, Texas, August 20.—Heavy fighting is in progress in the vicinity of Torreon. The main armies of Villa and Carranza are believed to be engaged in the greatest battle ever fought in the present trouble by the two factions.

W. A. BURRIS NOW CITY CLERK.

Chester Bennett Retired from City Hall After 16 Months.

W. A. Burris became city clerk today, succeeding Chester Bennett, who resigned recently, after holding the office since April, 1914. Bennett has not yet decided what work he will take up.

BULGARIA IN SOON

BALKAN STATE COUNTRY TO JOIN ALLIES IN WAR, REPORTED.

SERBS CEDE MACEDONIA

Servian Government Accepts Entente's Proposal to Give Province to New Ally—Will Assault Turks.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, August 20.—Dispatches from Rome and Athens announce that Servia has accepted the allies' proposal, ceding Macedonia to Bulgaria, which means that Bulgaria will shortly join the allies in the European war.

Bulgaria has long been awaiting entrance into the war, but held out for the ceding of Macedonia by Servia before it would enlist with the entente against the triple alliance. Bulgaria will be especially strong in the campaign against the Turks.

TO PROBE ARABIC SINKING

U. S. Government Will Not Consider It "Unfriendly Act" of Germany Pending Investigation.

Washington, August 20.—Secretary of State Lansing said today that the U. S. government is not convinced that the sinking of the White Star liner Arabic, by a German submarine was deliberately unfriendly until complete information is received.

In the meantime, officials will make no attempt to form opinions.

New York, August 20.—State department reports show only two Americans missing in the sinking of the White Star liner Arabic.

BROTHER SAFE AT PORT ARTHUR.

Dr. Fred Seafers Wires Maryville Relatives from Texas Storm District.

Mrs. Fred Curfman and Mrs. Ernest Welborn received a message this morning from their brother, Dr. C. Fred Seafers of Port Arthur, Texas, that he and his family were safe and none of them were injured in the recent storm that swept over the Texas coast towns.

Dr. Seafers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers of West Second street. His parents are at present in Colorado and have been spending the summer on a western tour.

FEDS ARE ON TOP

MARYVILLE NINE WILL WIN FIRST TOURNEY PRIZE, BELIEF.

BEAT HOPKINS 9 TO 3

Local Team Plays Bedford, Ia., Team in Final Game This Afternoon—Clearmont May Get Second.

Standing in the Ball Tourney.

Won, Lost, Prct.

Maryville	2	0	1.000
Clearmont	1	1	.500
Hopkins	1	1	.500
Bedford	0	2	.000

Tourney Game Results Yesterday.

Maryville 9, Hopkins 3.

Clearmont 11, Bedford 3.

The Maryville Federals virtually cinched the first place position yesterday in the four-team base ball tournament, which ends at Hopkins today, by defeating the Hopkins team 9 to 3, in the first game of the afternoon. With the Bedford, Ia., team as its opponent this afternoon, things look easy for the Federals coming back with the Jack pot of \$125.

Bedford has lost both games so far. It lost yesterday afternoon to Clearmont by the one-sided score of 3 to 11, and in the first day's contest by a score of 2 to 4 to Hopkins. Of course, things often go very queerly and unexpectedly in base ball, so crowing before ones chickens are hatched might be a little premature. Yet the betting is mostly for Maryville winning first prize.

The second place prize of \$100 lies between Hopkins and Clearmont, each having lost one game and won one game. With Hopkins and Clearmont playing each other today, an unusually fast game is expected, as each is set on getting nothing less than second place. The opinion of the majority of fans, it seems, is that Clearmont will take second place. Hopkins third place and Bedford fourth place.

Willey in the Box Today.

Maryville is pitching Willey again today, while Bedford intends to pitch Freeman of Corning for the full game, unless things go mighty against them. Rader may be substituted in that case. He started the game yesterday against Clearmont but soon withdrew.

The Federal lineup this afternoon is: Willey, p; Richardson, c; Tilson, 1b; Lynch, 2b; Scott, 3b; Palfreyman, ss; Miller, lf; Carmichael, cf; McChain, rf.

Hopkins intends to use A. C. Thomas, manager, in today's game against Clearmont, while Clearmont will again put Lange in the box.

The game between Maryville and Bedford is being played first.

Richardson Gets Home Run.

A large crowd attended the two games at Hopkins yesterday afternoon. Many went from Maryville, Bedford, Clearmont and other nearby towns, although the majority were from Hopkins and vicinity, judging from the rooting.

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Maryville never began to score until the fourth inning and then it scored properly, all being secured on a home run hit to center field by Richardson.

Palfreyman first got on through an error, while Lynch, the other scorer, got a single.

Richardson also brought in the next run, in the sixth inning, by hitting a three-bagger to the same spot, which brought in Lynch, who had got on, with a two-bagger. Richardson died on third.

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He struck out 8 but was hit for nine bases. In fact he got away luckily, considering the number of wild balls he pitched and number of fair balls secured by Hopkins batters.

Harry "Frosty" Thomas, twirler for Hopkins, struck out fourteen, while he was hit for sixteen bases. Both sides made quite a few errors and near-errors.

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BALL TOURNE HERE ASURED

Maryville Federals, Hopkins, and Two Other Teams to Contest August 25, 26 and 27.

A three-days base ball tournament between four base ball teams of Nodaway county will be held on the Normal grounds here next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 25, 26 and 27, according to definite announcement made this afternoon by Cleve Funk, manager of the Federal team, which will represent Maryville in the tournament.

The teams which will contest with the Federals will be the teams of Hopkins, of Barnard or Guilford and of Clearmont or Burlington Junction. The probability is that it will be between Maryville, Hopkins, Clearmont and Barnard. There will be two games played each afternoon of the tournament, the first beginning at 2 o'clock and the second immediately after the first ends.

The final advance disposal of season tickets for the six games are being sold today at \$1 each by a number of canvassers. It is expected that the necessary amount of money will be raised late today or tomorrow.

The prizes will probably be the same as those offered in the Hopkins tournament, first being \$125, second \$100, third \$75 and fourth \$50.

2 AMERICANS DIE WHEN ARABIC SUNK

REPORT DROWNING OF 17 OTHERS WHEN VESSEL IS TORPEDOED.

MUCH PRECAUTION WAS TAKEN; MONEY LOSS BIG

Captain of Steamer Equipped Lifeboats and Fitted Those Aboard With Floats—U. S. Investigates.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, August 20.—The twenty passengers of the White Star liner Arabic, still missing, as a result of the sinking of the mammoth vessel yesterday, include two Americans. Two lifeboats which put off from the Arabic when the torpedo struck it were capsized from overloading, just after being launched, it has been learned.

Most of the occupants of the lifeboats were saved, however, when picked up by the other lifeboats.

Two persons, wounded when the torpedo struck, later died. White Star officials report only six passengers still missing.

Captain Finch, in command of the Arabic, is said to have taken all possible precaution to avoid torpedoing and to save the passengers if such should occur. The lifeboats were all in readiness for being launched, lifebelts were distributed to the passengers in advance and all warned.

The money loss will run high, as the Arabic carried a large consignment of gold to Morgan & Co. of New York, also a large amount of stock bonds for New York houses.

New York, August 20.—The White Star line officials here issued a statement today showing nineteen passengers of the ill-fated Arabic missing, including four Americans.

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BRIT SHIPS WITH 150 SUNK

White Star Liner Bovios Submarined Off Irish Coast—Made Seven Victims in Two Days.

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London, August 20.—The White Star liner Bovios has been submerged and sunk, en route from New York to Manchester, with a general cargo and 150 men aboard. No details have been received, but it is believed the liner was sunk off the south coast of Ireland.

The German submarines have been very active there, having sunk seven other steamers of different nationalities yesterday and today. Nearly all members of the crews have been rescued however.

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ADMIT BOND NEEDS

NODAWAY AND MONROE TOWNSHIPS MAY ISSUE ROAD MONEY

TAKES TWO-THIRD VOTE

Necessity for More Finances for Repairing Flood Damage Expressed by All—4 Have Taken Step.

That the proposition to vote \$35,000 in bonds for bridge and road improvements in Nodaway township next Tuesday will carry by a safe number over a two-thirds majority is the opinion held by many who have canvassed the situation there.

Whether the proposition to vote \$25,000 in Monroe township for the same purpose next Tuesday will carry is doubtful, leaders of that section report.

It is generally held by all voters of both townships that the money is needed for the bridge improvements. But opponents claim that the taxes already are so high that they cannot afford to vote more. The fact that it requires a two-thirds majority for such a proposition to carry makes it rather difficult of success.

A number of boosters have been at work in both townships recently, however, urging the voters to vote the bonds and thereby improve road conditions.

Four Have Made the Step.

Four townships in Nodaway county already have voted bonds for this purpose, they being Polk, Union, Lincoln and Hughes.

The Burlington Junction Post speaks as follows of the proposition in this week's issue:

Next Tuesday the voters of Nodaway township will decide whether the township moves

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FIDS ARE ON TOP

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The score:	R. H. E.
Hopkins . . . 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—3	8 7
Maryville . . . 0 0 0 3 0 1 2 0 3—8	4

Bedford Far Outclassed.

That Bedford is outclassed in the tournament was pretty well demonstrated yesterday afternoon when Clearmont defeated that Iowa nine by the one-sided score of 11 to 3. Bedford got two of its scores in the second inning and the final one in the fourth.

Clearmont began scoring in the first inning, by getting two safely home, while it almost cinched the game by making four scores in the second inning. Rader first took the box for Bedford but was succeeded by Reed in the second inning. Hayes of Omaha went through the game for Clearmont, by striking out 9. Rader and Reed each struck out one.

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Clearmont 2 4 1 0 0 0 0 2 2—11	18 5
Bedford . . . 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—3	9 6

THREW BRIDGE TOOLS IN RIVER.

Practical Jokers Also Cast Supplies for 102 River Span in Stream.

Peter Shaffer reports that when the men who are building the bridge spanning the new channel of the 102 river, east of the old Mack farm, near Hopkins, went to work the other morning they found most of the tools in the bed of the stream, it being necessary for one of the men to swim to recover a crowbar that happened to be sticking up on an "island" in the stream.

Some of the loose lumber of the structure also had been thrown into the water. It has been traced to a quartet of young people, two boys and two girls, and while we do not know who they are, we hope they will never again be guilty of doing such a mean act.

Of course, it was done thoughtlessly, but Mr. Shaffer says if any more such work is done the guilty ones will be prosecuted.—Hopkins Journal.

Returns to His Home.

Dr. L. C. Bouton of Stanberry, Conn., who has been visiting Dr. H. C. Conrad and family here since Wednesday, left today for his home, by way of Davenport, Ia., where he will visit a few days.

Musk in its pure state is so radioactive that, if held close to the body for a time, it will produce sores similar to those caused by radium.

CLYDE FARMER BADLY HURT

W. B. Wobbe Falls Off Granary Roof
Injury to Spine Causes Paralysis
Condition Serious.

The condition of W. B. Wobbe, living southwest of Clyde, who is in a serious state from injuries received when he fell from the roof of his granary last Tuesday afternoon, was unimproved today.

Mr. Wobbe had been making some repairs to the roof, and had finished his work and started to come down. Just as he stepped on the ladder it slipped and Mr. Wobbe lost his balance and fell to the ground.

The fall caused a serious injury to Mr. Wobbe's spine, resulting in a complete paralysis of the lower part of his body. Mr. Wobbe is nearly 80 years old and his recovery is doubtful.

THE FARMER'S VACATION.

The business man, the professional man, even the girl in the kitchen of the city home, expects a vacation. And they take it, and wisely, too, when work is slack, which usually means at the time when the farmer has pressing business of his own to occupy all his time. The farmer is made of the same clay as the business and professional man. He needs a vacation; but he can't take it when the city people usually take theirs.

Some tell us that the best way to take a vacation is to take it piecemeal. We believe that is true in a great many cases. The farmer can take his vacation piecemeal; and the first two pieces may well be his county and state fair. Wise people, when they take a vacation, undertake to combine mental and physical improvement with rest.

In fact, the best vacation for the man who labors with his mind is not to do nothing, but to have a change of work, and part of it physical exercise. We have never yet had a real vacation in which we did not work as hard as we do at home, but in a different way, and we believe that is the way to get the most good out of a vacation.

The farmer who takes a day or two off to attend his county fair, and a week off to attend his state fair, has not only a good opportunity to see acquaintances and friends, which is perhaps the best part of a vacation, but of looking at his business from a new point of view. He gets new ideas about live stock, about grains, about crops, about farm management. There is no place where he can do this better than at the state fair.

All these fairs have already a farm crowd. In all of them the farm interests are predominant. The state fair is the best place to study farmers as a whole, to get their point of view, to catch their spirit, to learn to understand them. It is quite as important for farmers to understand each other as it is that they understand the people in the town, and even more so. In fact, much of the dissatisfaction of farmers with farm life would disappear if they learned to understand each other. They lack the spirit of comradery, of companionship, which is quite as essential in order that farmers get along with each other as it is for the business and professional men.

In planning to attend the fair, don't forget the boy and the girl. Don't be afraid that something will happen to them, if you can't go along. They will perhaps learn more at the fair than you will. Don't let your girl go without proper attendance, however, and about the best attendance she can have is a brother on whom she can rely, and who, in the spirit of true chivalry,

is breaking the glass in a new fire alarm box intended for hotel or office building rooms permits the alarm to be sounded and frees a fire escape rope and harness.

Will give her the protection a brother owes to his sister, and that every farm-born young man owes to any farm-born girl.—Wallace's Farmer.

LEO FRANK'S BODY BURIED.

Funeral of Ill-Fated Prisoner Is Held at New York—Police Keep Curious Back.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, August 20.—Leo Frank

was buried here at 9 o'clock this morning. The police kept the crowd of cu-

rious persons back.

TO OPEN FAIR LUNCH STAND.

Young Women of St. Mary's Church Will Serve Refreshments at County Fair.

The young women of St. Mary's Catholic church have purchased stand rights at the county fair and will serve lunches and soft drinks during the entire week of the fair. The booth will be located just north of the grand stand, and the women will serve sandwiches, soda pop and other light refreshments.

A committee from among the members will be in charge each day, and at the night entertainments.

UNION SERVICES OPEN SUNDAY.

Churches of Barnard Will Join in Evangelistic Tent Meetings.

A union tent meeting under the leadership of Evangelists De Hays and Pfaffenberger, will open at Barnard Sunday. A large tent has been erected in the yard of the South Methodist church in which to hold the meetings.

The general committee on arrangements is composed of J. E. Akey, I. C. Roelofson, R. P. Nelson, P. R. Melvin, John Rasco, G. T. Thompson, Leonard Mendenhall and Dr. Gillett.

Had a Good Wheat Crop.

Will B. Gex of near Graham, was in the city today and reported that his wheat crop averaged a little more than 30 bushels to the acre. He had twenty-five acres and the total yield was 800 bushels.

Guest at Glass Home.

Miss Ora McMillen of Topeka, Kan., who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolfers of Pickerington, came to Maryville this morning to spend the weekend at the home of her uncle, W. W. Glass, and family.

Iowa Visitors Leave.

Mrs. W. R. Ashford and daughter, Marian, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. Ashford's father, W. D. Ashford, will leave tonight for Omaha, Neb., to visit friends before returning home.

Mrs. L. E. Thomas and son, Marvin, of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville at noon to visit until tomorrow night with Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Thomas.

Breaking the glass in a new fire alarm box intended for hotel or office building rooms permits the alarm to be sounded and frees a fire escape rope and harness.

Will Move Here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Hazelrigg of near Harold, S. D., who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. T. Manley, will move to Maryville within the next month or so. Mr. Hazelrigg was a resident of this city twenty years ago. He has been suffering with dropsy but is much better now. Mr. and Mrs. Hazelrigg will go to Savannah tomorrow to visit their son, B. B. Hazelrigg.

My office will be closed until September 9, as I will be out of town.

1923 DR. JESSE MILLER.

To Play on Normal Grounds.

The base ball game between the Maryville Giants, a "Kid" base ball team, and the Wilcox Whirlwinds, will be played tomorrow afternoon on the Normal grounds, instead of at Federal park, Russell Robey, Giants Manager, announces.

Home from the West.

Mr. and Mrs. James Colby of this city and Mrs. Colby's sister, Mrs. G. E. Alexander, of Medicine Lodge, Kan., returned yesterday from a month's western trip. Mrs. Alexander will visit her at the home of her father, Joseph Jackson, Sr., before going to Kansas.

Dr. H. J. Tandy, chiropadist and foot specialist, will be at Dr. Todd's office. Dr. Tandy treats all foot ailments, corns, callous, bunions, nail troubles, broken arches, etc. Will make residence calls. Office phone 29. Residence, Mrs. Shipps, both phones.

TO HOLD ALL-DAY SERVICE.

Good Hope Congregation Will Gather for Annual Meet Sunday.

The people of the Good Hope church, west of Hopkins, have arranged for an all-day service and basket dinner to be held at the church grove next Sunday. There will be preaching services in the morning and afternoon and a good musical program at each service.

This occasion is an annual one with the Good Hope people and a large crowd is expected to be there.

WILL GIVE SERIES OF LECTURES.

Temperance to Be Discussed at First Christian Church Next Week.

A series of lectures, beginning Sunday morning, will be given in this city next week by Mrs. Crisman McMillen of Omaha. The lectures will be in the interest of the temperance movement, and the first one will be given at the First Christian church at the usual morning hour of service. Mrs. McMillen occupying the pulpit in the place of the pastor, the Rev. Robert Lyle Finch, who is out of the city.

Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Mrs. McMillen will give an open-air lecture, speaking from the band stand in the court house square. The dates for the other lectures of the week will be announced later.

No admission will be charged at any time. Mrs. McMillen has been working in the temperance movement for some time, and comes to this city with the highest of recommendations and references.

The subjects of Mrs. McMillen's lectures, in the order of their giving, will be "Obedience, a Divine Command;" "Temperance from a Bible Standpoint;" "Vice Versus Virtue; or Why Our Girls Fall;" "Vice Versus Virtue; or Why Our Boys Fall;" "What We as Parents and Teachers Owe the Rising Generation," and "Duty From a Bible Standpoint."

* STOCK MARKET *

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 300.

Hogs—10,000. Market 5¢ higher; top, \$7.70. Estimate tomorrow, 7,000. Sheep—6,000. Market 10¢ higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—400. Market steady. Hogs—4,000. Market strong; top, \$7.35; bulk at \$6.50@7.10.

Sheep—None.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle, 100. Market steady. Hogs—500. Market steady; top, \$7.05.

Sheep—2,500. Market steady.

Grain Market.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, August 20.—WHEAT—September, \$1.04 1/4¢; December, \$1.04.

CORN—September, 70 1/4¢; December, 66¢.

DO NOT GIVE.

We have a pleasant laxative that will just do what you want it to do.

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We sell thousands of them and we have never seen a better remedy for the bowel. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

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FINE A DRUNK \$5.

A. T. Gilland was fined \$5 and costs of \$6.10 in police court this morning when he pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness.

MISS GAY ON VACATION.

Miss Mabel Gay, who is employed in the dental office of Dr. Jesse Miller, will start Saturday morning on a three weeks vacation trip, which will be spent visiting her sister, Mrs. John Richardson of Yuma, Col., and with friends at Milner, Idaho.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hart and children of Parnell wish to extend their sincere thanks and appreciation to all their neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy at the death of their dear little son and brother, Virgil Leroy Hart.

VISITING BEDISON RELATIVES.

W. J. Nixon of Walter, Okla., arrived at Bedison Wednesday night to visit his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Kidd, and family. Mr. Nixon left his home July 1 for a visit with his sisters, children and grandchildren, and it will take him to places in Oklahoma, Kansas, Arkansas, Iowa and Missouri.

GRANT CITY CLUB TO PICNIC.

The Grant City Commercial club will hold its second annual picnic and athletic contests at Houser's park, that city, September 1. In the way of imported amusement there will be the Dixie Danglers and Nela Darling, that well known speaker on civic betterment.

A number of athletic contests have been arranged.

MISS SHELDON TO FULTON.

Miss Maud Sheldon is at St. Louis where she will spend a while at the wholesale millinery houses and then go to Fulton, Mo., where she will be employed this winter.

FOWL BREEDERS TO PICNIC

Northwest Missouri Association to Observe "Fried Chicken Day," Sept. 1 at Fair Grounds.

"Fried Chicken Day," September 1, will be observed by the Northwest Missouri Poultry association with a picnic and luncheon, consisting primarily of fried and stewed chicken on the grounds at the county fair here, according to announcement made today by J. H. Sayler, secretary of the association.

Every one in the county that is interested in promoting the poultry industry, whether he be a member of the association or not, is urged to attend the luncheon and picnic and help celebrate the first annual state observance of "Fried Chicken Day," September 1.

The picnic will probably be held in the grove directly east of the race tracks at the fair grounds, although possibly at the southwest corner of the concession grounds.

The poultry display at the county fair this year will be held in a tent near Floral hall. Judge Sayler announced today, owing to the fact that floral hall will be entirely filled with exhibits in household arts, fruits, grains and vegetables. The poultry displays also were held in that building last year.

FARMERS' INSTITUTES POPULAR.

Number of Meetings and Attendance Increases Yearly—Held 25,238 Last Year.

Both the number of farmers' institutes held each year and the attendance at these meetings is steadily increasing, according to a report on farmers' institute work which has just been published by the department of agriculture. During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, the report states, 25,238 of these institutes were held throughout the country, with a total attendance of 3,656,381.

This is an increase in attendance of 26 per cent over that of any previous year. On the other hand, the expense of conducting the work was nearly \$65,000 less than last year, the total cost for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, being \$447,897.51.

The farmers' institute organization conducts its work under many different forms, so that it is almost impossible to summarize its activities briefly. For example, in addition to the ordinary meetings there were movable schools in thirteen states which had a registered attendance of 112,498 different people.

Field demonstration meetings were also held in fifteen states although no record of the attendance was kept. Special railroad trains were organized in seventeen states to aid in giving lectures and demonstrations.

Frank Schumacher attended the base ball games at Hopkins yesterday.

14th Year Here**RELIABILITY****Dr. Prettyman**

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Acute and Chronic Cataract, Ringing in the ears, Deafness, Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, Lungs, Stomach, Heart, Liver, Kidneys, Bowels and Bladder.

Nervous Diseases

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MISSOURI MILITIA SHAKEUP

Third Regiment Disbanded Following Request For Resignations.

Kansas City, Aug. 20.—The Third regiment, Missouri national guard, was disbanded by an order signed by Adjutant General John B. O'Meara. The disbanding follows closely the request for the resignations of four regimental officers, made here by General Harvey Clark, commanding general of the guard.

Three of the four resigned, but by the new action the resignations will not be effective, as the officers will be recorded as "honorably discharged." The officers affected are Fred A. Lamb, colonel; Claude M. Congdon, lieutenant colonel, and Nat D. Jackson and George McGinnis, majors of the regiment.

The regiment will be reorganized at once, General Clark announced.

RECEIVER IS ASKED

Million Dollar Publishing Company Unable to Pay \$459.

Cincinnati, Aug. 20.—Suit was filed in the superior court for the appointment of a receiver for the Home and Country Publishing company, publisher of the Home and Country magazine.

It is alleged that although the company is capitalized at \$1,500,000, and nearly all of the capital stock has been sold to women investors throughout the United States, a judgment for \$459 for the services of girl stenographers and printers given in the municipal court in July remains unpaid because no leviable property possessed by the company could be found in this city. The petition asks that when a receiver is appointed that he be authorized to collect unpaid balances on the stock sold.

May Remove Capital to Moscow.
London, Aug. 20.—Russian government officials are considering the removal of the capital from Petrograd to Moscow, according to the correspondent of the London Post.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept. \$1.03%; Dec., \$1.04%; Corn—Sept., 75¢-6¢; Dec., 64¢c. Oats—Sept., 29¢-3¢; Dec., 38¢d. Pork—Sept., \$12.77¢; Oct., \$13.90. Lard—Sept., \$8.12¢; Jan., \$8.65. Ribs—Sept., \$8.72; Oct., \$8.80.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Aug. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, \$3,000; steady; native beef steers, \$8@10.25; westerns, \$3.75@9.25; cows and heifers, \$3.10@9.5; calves, \$3@11.75. Hogs—Receipts, 17,900; sow to 50; the lower; bulk of sows, \$2.80@3.20; light, \$6.80@7.70; mixed, \$5.85@6.55; heavy, \$5.75@6.85; boars, \$5.75@6.90; pigs, \$5.90@7.80. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; firm, sheep, \$5.60@6.15; lambs, \$6.40@7.75.

South Omaha Live Stock.
South Omaha, Aug. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,200; grade over, boat steers, \$7.50@; cows and heifers, \$4.75@8.50; stockers and fenders, \$6.50@7.50; calves, \$3.75@4.75. Hogs—Receipts, 12,500; \$3@10.00 lower; heavy, \$5.9@6.30; light, \$6.25@6.85. Sheep—Receipts, 23,000; steady to 100; higher; lambs, \$7.50@8.45; wethers, \$5.25@6.00; ewes, \$4.50@5.25.

On Auto Trip to Colorado.
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dougan have started on an auto trip through Colorado. The objective point of their trip is Sedgwick, where they will visit Mr. Dougan's sister, Mrs. C. W. Arens. Before returning they will stop at various places of interest.

Auto Strikes Elderly Woman.
During the rush of auto drivers, following the band concert last night, to become "extricated" from the jam on the square, an elderly woman was struck a glancing blow by an automobile being backed, at Third and Main streets. She was but slightly injured.

Will Visit at Clyde.
Miss Nan Kinney of Omaha, Neb., who has been visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ferritor, went to Clyde last night, where she will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Enis.

Guests at Barnmann Home.
Toel Lorance, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lorance of Des Moines, La., is in Maryville for a two weeks visit with Francis Barnmann.

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SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHRNCK
PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 66

For the Housewife's File.

According to the September Woman's Home Companion, September is the month for all housekeepers:

"To make the acquaintance of your children's new teachers."

"To plan varied and healthful school lunches."

"To see that the furnace and pipes are in working order."

"To do all necessary painting around the house and fences."

"To have the roof examined and repaired if necessary."

"To choose and order any new wall paper."

"To look over the winter bedding, recover comforts and mattresses."

To Give Social.

The Bedison church will hold an ice cream festival at the church Saturday night. The proceeds will be applied on the church fund. Every one is invited to attend.

W. R. C. to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Women's Relief Corps will be held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the hall. There is to be initiatory work and all members are urged to be present at the meeting.

Picnic and Theater Party.

A picnic party and supper at Normal park last night given for the pleasure of Misses May and Helen Sullivan of Chicago, who are house guests of the P. J. Tobin family, included in its crowd the Misses Sullivan, Miss Clara Sherlock, Miss Margaret Heffern, Misses Elizabeth and Marie Cook, Misses Mary and Helen Tobin and Miss Agnes Sherlock. The picnic was followed by a late party at the Empire theater.

For Miss Wallace.

Miss Hazel Wallace entertained a party of friends Tuesday night at the Wallace home, on South Buchanan street, complimentary to Miss Blanche Wallace of Clearmont. The hours were spent playing progressive dominoes and a dainty repast was enjoyed. The guests were Miss Wallace, Miss Edith Callahan, Miss Enda Dietz, Miss Edith Holt, Miss Mary Lewis, Edgar Hull, Harold Sawyers, Martin Lewis, Jr., Joe Farmer, Ray McPherson and Don Roberts.

Pleasure Seekers Entertained.

The Pleasure Seekers club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Runnels, living near Pickering. The meeting had been planned to be at the home of Mrs. Rickard, but was changed. Roll call was responded to with favorite preserve and pickle recipes, and after a short period the time was spent socially. Those present were Mrs. Stewart Robinson, Mrs. William Hinton, Mrs. Albert Hinton, Miss Blanche Hinton, Violet Robinson and Lauren Runnels. The next meeting will be at the home of Miss Blanche Hinton.

Mrs. Mutz Hostess.

A delightful afternoon was enjoyed Wednesday by the members of the I X Club and a few of their friends, when they entertained at the home of Mrs. Melissa Castell, on East First street, with Mrs. Guy Mutz as hostess. A delicious repast was enjoyed at the close of the afternoon, which was spent informally. Mrs. Mutz was assisted in entertaining by her sisters, Mrs. John Hoffman, Mrs. George Wallace and Mrs. Frank Green. The visitors of the afternoon were Mrs. Harry Mutz, Mrs. Jay Mutz, Mrs. George Wallace, Mrs. John Hoffman, Mrs. Frank Green and Miss Jessie Mutz.

Surprise for Miss Hengeler.

Miss Agatha Hengeler was the honored guest of a jolly surprise party given last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Myers, south of the city. The evening was planned by Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen, and the crowd gathered unannounced at the Myers home, spent the evening with various games and music, and served a two-course luncheon. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen, Mrs. F. C. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry and Miss Susie Burks of St. Joseph, who are guests of the Almens; Miss Hengeler, Misses Helen and Jean Carr, Henry Seipel, Robert Carr and Mr. and Mrs. Myers and family.

Miss Dougan Hostess.

Miss Irene Dougan was the hostess of a charming informal affair given last night at her home for the pleasure of her house guests, Miss Katherine Miller of St. Louis and Miss Agatha Kraus of Chillicothe. The game of hearts was the evening's amusement, and the prizes were won by Miss Helen McNeills and Miss Hilda Lahr. Pink and white sweet peas were used in decorating the rooms and tables and a pink and white luncheon was served. The guests were Miss Miller,

Miss Kraus, Miss Helen McNeills, Miss Hilda Lahr, Miss Mamie Dougan, Miss Gertrude Lahr, Miss Elizabeth Heffern, Miss Anna McNeills, Miss Elizabeth Doran and Mrs. Martin G. McQuinn. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by her sister, Mrs. McQuinn of Clyde, who is spending a few days at the Dougan home.

BRYAN DIDN'T SEE POINT.

Jest at Expense of Former Secretary of State Is Told.

By way of entertainment of Vice-President Marshall at the Hotel Robidoux at St. Joseph recently, someone told the latest story of which William Jennings Bryan is the butt.

"Did you hear that Bryan has lost a lot of money lately?" asked the narrator.

"No, how was that?" asked someone in the crowd, who had been previously coached.

"Why," was the answer, "he talked for two hours in his sleep."

The crowd laughed loudly, and Mr. Marshall said: "Yes, I'd heard that. I told it to Bryan himself the other day."

"How did he take it?" asked the narrator.

"He didn't seem to see the point," said Marshall.—News-Press.

To dry a shaving brush and protect it from dust there has been patented a celluloid cylinder, perforated for the circulation of air.

A German agriculturist has developed a method of extracting the fibrous inner bark of hop vines for use in the manufacture of cordage.

OVERALLS MAY CHANGE COLORS.

Conventional Blue Will Soon Be Unobtainable, If Dyes Are Not Obtained.

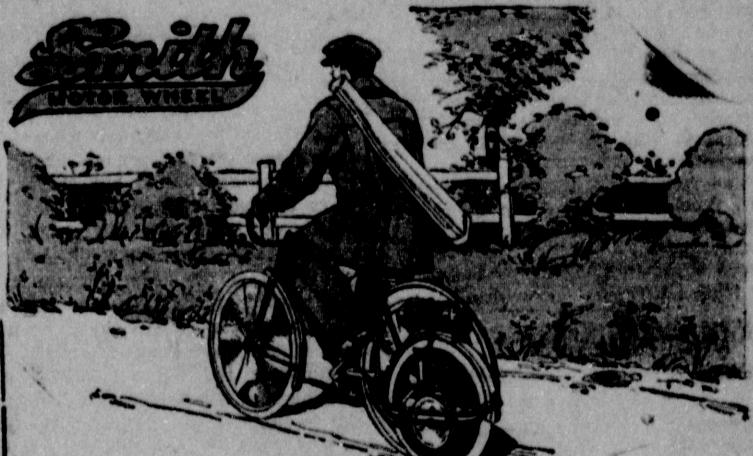
Wouldn't a man look funny running around in a pair of yellow, red, or green overalls, instead of the conventional blue? Ask a manufacturer of overalls that and he will reply that it is not a laughing matter. There is nothing funny about the situation; in fact, it is serious; and there is a possibility that the bright, funny colors may have to be substituted for fast blue now used universally by the man who toils.

Things are looking serious because fast indigo dyes come from Germany

only, and now, that the United States cotton cloth manufacturers cannot get this indigo dye, something else may have to be substituted.

In fact, substitutes are being tried now on a small scale, but the manufacturers of cloth, as well as the manufacturer of cotton clothing, such as

Not only might it be that the war will end and the dyes be released, but the substitute colors may not be popular, and the manufacturers do not want to risk putting out too many goods which are not strictly standard.—St. Joseph Gazette.



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**ELIHU ROOT LEADS
BAR ASSOCIATION****Resolutions Are Adopted Demanding Frank Lynching.**

Salt Lake, Aug. 20.—United States Senator Elihu Root of New York was unanimously elected president of the American Bar association at its closing business session on recommendation of the general council of the association. Walter George Smith of Philadelphia was a candidate against Senator Root before the council, but his name was not presented to the convention.

The association unanimously adopted a resolution pronouncing the Frank lynching a "willful and deliberate murder by mob violence," and urging every effort to bring the perpetrators to trial.

GERMANS SEIZE NORSE MAIL

Incident Arouses Storm of Indignation at Christiansia.

Christiansia, Norway, Aug. 20.—The halting of the Norwegian mail steamer Haskon VII. and the seizure of mails on board by a German submarine have been followed by a protest to Berlin and a demand for the return of the mails to Norway. The Haskon VII. was bound from Bergen to England.

The postmaster general reports that the commander of the German submarine ordered the jettisoning of all printed matter and packages destined to England, France, Italy, or other countries hostile to Germany. All letters and remittance money are said to have been taken aboard the submarine. Included were seven sacks of mail from Denmark.

What the newspapers term the "mail theft" has aroused a storm of resentment.

German submarines are said to be watching every inlet to the important ports of Norway.

Daniels Asks Proof of German Plot.

Washington, Aug. 20.—In an announcement issued by the navy department Secretary Daniels said he had asked John R. Rathom, publisher of the Providence Journal, to submit any evidence he might have to substantiate a published statement crediting to him that a civil employee of the navy department was in the pay of the German government.

Turkey Levies War Tax on Foreigners

Rome, Aug. 20.—Dispatches from Saloniki declare that the Turkish authorities, in addition to prohibiting the departure of Italians from Smyrna, have levied a heavy war tax, which foreigners never before have been required to pay and which many Italians in Smyrna, being almost destitute, are quite unable to pay.

Allies Have Made Cotton Contraband.

Washington, Aug. 20.—"The allied governments have agreed in principle that cotton is contraband of war. The exact date when this announcement shall be made is still under consideration, as well as other details connected with the proclamations." This statement was authorized at the British embassy.

Drop Dead In Mexico City Streets Daily

Puebla, Mex., Aug. 20.—Thousands of people in Mexico City are starving and bodies of women and children are daily being piled up in the streets there, according to an American Red Cross agent who arrived here from the capital. The city is at the mercy of a band of half-naked Indians.

**DR. DAVID R. JOHNSON
ELECTED HEAD N. E. A.**

Oakland, Cal., Aug. 20.—Dr. David R. Johnson, president of the Winthrop Normal and Industrial college of Rock Hill, S. C., was elected president of the National Educational association by a vote of 479, as against 184 received by Miss Grace C. Strachan, district superintendent of schools, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Here to Find School Job.
A. L. Rogers and daughter, Miss Marie Rogers, of Ravenwood came to Maryville today on school business. Miss Rogers is intending to teach this coming term if she can find a school position open.

Attend Parnell Picnic.
A. D. Saunders and daughters, Orna, Prudence and Floy, motored to Parnell today to attend the town picnic and visit friends.

Infant Child Dies.
Funeral services for the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Tudder of Elmo, who died Wednesday night, were held yesterday afternoon.

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TO CURE SORES ON HORSES

Bursatti or So-Called Festers Prevent Animals Working—To Treat.

Many horse owners at this season of the year find that their horses are troubled by sores which resist usual methods of treatment, and which in this respect differ from ordinary wounds says the report from the department of agriculture. These growths or sores are supposed to be of fungous origin. Their true nature and cause, however, have not been definitely determined.

They are especially prevalent in the Southern states, and are called summer sores on account of their persistence and the difficulty with which they are healed during the summer season. As cool weather approaches, healing frequently takes place, but there is always the possibility of the wound breaking out anew with the advent of warm weather. They may appear on any portion of the body, but are especially troublesome when occurring on the lower parts of the limbs or at points where the harness touches.

Frequently the first indication or appearance of the trouble is a small lump resembling a grain of shot beneath the skin. In a few days the skin sloughs off over the spot, leaving a raw surface. This increases in size until in a few weeks there is a raw surface from one to several inches in diameter.

Commonly there is intense itching, and the animal bites and rubs the parts, aggravating the condition and increasing the size of the sore. The edges of these sores are usually rough in appearance and raised above the surface of the skin. When examined closely they appear like a mass of dark bruised tissue in which is embedded more or less of a yellow, gritty growth.

Numerous methods of treatment have been resorted to in this condition, with varying results, and frequently no improvement is noted until the approach of cold weather.

Many cases, however, yield to the following treatment: The wound is thoroughly scraped with a surgeon's sterilized curette, or with a clean, disinfected dull knife, after which it is showered with cold water for ten or fifteen minutes. Iodoform is then dusted on and rubbed into the wound by means of a wad of absorbent cotton and the wound is immediately covered with a layer of collodion.

The iodoform and collodion applications are repeated every twenty-four hours for fifteen days or until the sores heal. Ether or chloroform may be used in place of iodoform, being poured on cotton and applied to the sore for two minutes before painting it with collodion.

Formalin has been used by injecting it into the tissues. This, however, should be used only by a qualified veterinarian, as its improper use might cause severe sloughing and disastrous results.

LETTER LIST.
Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, August 18, 1915:

Men.
Anthony, R. A.
Burchard, A. W.
Hise, John A.
Mathias, Robert.
McNear, J. Ed.
Moon, Delbert.
Phipps, Mr. and Mrs. I. R.
Redman, John.
Swift, T. M.
Wizlard, V. H.

Women.
Barrett, Miss Mabel B.
Houart, Mrs. Sarah.
Willie, Mrs. J. L.

Miscellaneous.
Bradley's, Inc.
Persons calling for the above named letters mention "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Attends Parnell Picnic.
Forrest Gooden, East First street, left today for Parnell to attend the picnic this week and to visit friends a few days.

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COLLEGE EDUCATION PROGRESS.

Many Young People Now Get Higher Learning, Statistics Show.

There were 216,493 students in colleges, universities, and technological schools in 1914, according to the annual report of the Commissioner of Education, just issued. This is an increase of 14,262 over 1913. The bureau's list for 1914 includes 567 institutions, a decrease of 29 over the preceding year. States or municipalities control 93 of the colleges; private corporations control 474. Men still outnumber women in higher education; there were 139,737 men in 1914 and 77,120 women, as compared with 128,644 men and 73,587 women in 1913.

Despite rising standards of admission and graduation, college enrollment has more than tripled since 1890.

Receipts during the year totaled \$120,579,257, of which \$18,422,856 was for endowment. Benefactions to colleges and universities totaled \$26,270,017, something over \$2,000,000 more than in the year previous. Six institutions received benefactions in excess of a million dollars apiece, and 45 universities, colleges, and technical schools reported gifts amounting to more than \$100,000. In the past seven years the largest increase in income has come through state and municipal appropriations, and the appropriations grew from \$9,649,549 in 1908 to \$23,400,540 in 1914, while fees for tuition and other educational services increased from \$15,390,847 to \$22,504,529.

The dominant note of the year in higher education, according to the report, was concentration, both in internal organization and authoritative classification gained momentum during the year, chiefly through the activities of several voluntary associations. The junior college movement has reached the point where several states—notably Wisconsin, Missouri, Virginia and Idaho—have gone on record as definitely recognizing junior colleges in the educational system of the state. The Municipal University of Akron, Ohio, was added to the list of city universities, and the new "Association of Urban Universities," established in the fall of 1914, lends emphasis to this municipal-university development.

Degrees conferred by colleges and universities included 26,533 baccalaureate, 5,248 graduate, and 749 honorary. The degree of doctor of philosophy was conferred as the result of examination by 46 institutions on 446 men and 73 women.

Legal holidays in Missouri are Jan. 1, New Year's day; Feb. 22, Washington's birthday; May 30, Decoration day; first Tuesday in August, on which the state primary election is held; first Monday in September, Labor day; Oct. 12, Columbus day; first Tuesday in November, on which the general election is held; last Thursday in November, Thanksgiving day; Dec. 25, Christmas; and every Saturday afternoon in public offices in cities of more than 100,000 inhabitants.

Burlington to Play Malvern.
The Burlington Junction Boosters will play the Malvern Red Cross baseball team at Beaver park, Burlington Junction, Sunday afternoon. In the first game played between these two teams, Burlington Junction won by a score of 6 to 3.

Visiting at Atchison.
Mrs. T. J. Parle and son, Francis, went to Atchison, Kan., yesterday to visit Mrs. Parle's daughter, Sister Mary Augusta, at the Mt. St. Scholastic convent.

Ships car of Cattle to Chicago.
One of the best loads of cattle that has been shipped from Burlington Junction in years was sent to Chicago by W. N. Houston a few days ago, says the Post. The cattle averaged 1,533 pounds each at the local yards and were as fat as good feed could make them. The cattle sold for \$9.30.

Herschel Houston, who went with the load, said that it was almost impossible to sell heavy cattle at the Chicago market the first of this week, the demand being for lighter steers.

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REICHSTAG IN SESSION

Alleged Remarks of Grey Cause Great Sensation in Berlin.

Berlin, Aug. 20.—Dr. von Bethmann Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, in a speech at the opening of the Reichstag, after a recess since May 30, in a sensational statement quoted the words which he declared Sir Edward Grey, spoke to the German ambassador at London when the latter left the British foreign minister after the beginning of the war in August, 1914.

"Sir Edward Grey," said the chancellor, "emphasizing his words, said that war between the two countries would make it possible that at the conclusion of peace he could render us more valuable services than had England remained neutral."

The chancellor explained that he interpreted these words to mean that England desired the friendship of a beaten and weakened Germany as a counter influence against powerful Russia. England would be ready to use such a Germany—a weak country without industry and without a navy. The chancellor's report of this scene in London caused a profound sensation in the Reichstag.

MORE TROOPS ARE LANDED

Efforts of Allies to Gain Ground on Gallipoli Without Results.

London, Aug. 20.—Additional troops have been landed by the British at Suvla bay, Gallipoli peninsula. This announcement was made here officially.

The war office admits that after heavy fighting, in which no satisfactory progress was made, the British advance was halted. Losses on both sides were very large.

Recent cable dispatches have indicated that the French and British have determined upon a great attempt to capture the Dardanelles as speedily as possible.

Russia Calls For Recruits For 1916.

Paris, Aug. 20.—The Russian embassy announces that by decree of the emperor young men of the class of 1916 have been called to the colors, dating from Aug. 20. No exemptions whatever, by reasons of family connections or of study abroad, will be allowed, the announcement states.

Teutons Near Brest-Litovsk.

Berlin, Aug. 20.—A further advance on the part of the German army which is attempting to capture the important Russian fortress of Brest-Litovsk was announced here officially. The statement says that outer positions of the fortress near Rostino, before Brest-Litovsk, were penetrated.

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ADOPT NEW RULES FOR SERUM

Federal Government Proposes Stricter Regulations for Manufacture of Viruses and Toxin.

New regulations governing the manufacture and sale of hog-cholera serum and analogous products intended for use on domestic animals have been drawn up in tentative form by the department.

In order to protect the farmer from the sale of worthless or contaminated viruses, serum, toxins, etc., these proposed regulations are stricter in some important respects than those now in force.

The act of 1913 makes it a misdemeanor to ship in interstate commerce any virus, serum, toxin, or analogous product intended for use on domestic animals, which has not been manufactured in an establishment holding a valid federal license and importers of foreign products are required, to secure a permit.

The secretary of agriculture is charged with the enforcement of this law and has the power to promulgate such regulations as, in his opinion, are necessary to prevent the shipment of worthless or contaminated products.

One of the most important branches of this traffic is in hog-cholera serum, but considerable quantities of mallein for testing glands in horses, tuberculin for testing cattle for tuberculosis, vaccine for black leg, and other preparations are now being manufactured in the United States and offered for importation into this country.

It is impossible for the purchaser or user of these products to determine for himself whether or not they are pure and up to standard, and the official inspection serves as a protection against fraud or carelessness. For this reason the new proposed regulations have been amplified and strengthened in several respects.

A public hearing will be held August 23, in the board room of the Bureau of Animal Industry at Washington, in order to afford an opportunity to manufacturers, stock raisers, veterinarians and state officials to express their views upon these new proposed regulations.

Those who can not attend the hearing may send written communications to the Chief, Bureau of Animal Industry, and these will be considered.

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LAST BIG RUSS FORT TO TEUTONS

GERMANS CAPTURE NOVO GEORGIEVSK, ALSO 20,000 PRISONERS.

CAN ENTER SLAV LAND SAFELY; KAISER THERE

Wilhelm Looks on as Forces Pound Down Last Barriers to Mighty Fortifications.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, August 20.—It is officially announced that Novo Georgievsk, the Russians' last mighty fortress in Poland, has been captured by the German and Austrian forces. The capture also included 20,000 Russian prisoners and a vast quantity of war materials.

The Novo Georgievsk fortress was the last to be held by the Russians on the Vistula river. It removes the danger to the Teutonic forces from sudden sorties by the enemy and permits the German armies to pursue the fleeing Russians to a better advantage and without the constant danger of being trapped or ensnared that heretofore has always had to be considered in the eastern campaign.

Fort Novo Georgievsk has been under assault for twelve days, the enemy gradually closing in a little closer each day. By using the biggest guns available the Germans were enabled to bombard the outlying forts one by one, and gradually advance.

The Kaiser and the general staff personally witnessed the capture of the main fortress.

ALLIES GAIN ON GALLIPOLI

Turkish Forces Defeated Again on Salva Bay, Paris Announces—Means Big Gain.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, August 20.—It is announced that the British and French have made more important gains on the Gallipoli peninsula, near Salva bay.

DRAINAGE BOARD TO ELECT

Members of Nodaway River District No. 2 to Choose New Officers

August 31, Near Clearmont.

A meeting of the board of supervisors of Nodaway river drainage district No. 2 has been called for 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, August 31, at the Clearmont bridge, to elect three members of the board. One is to serve three years, another four years and another five years.

Each acre in the drainage district represents one share in the election. The call was issued by W. M. Blackford, president, and Guy C. Clary, secretary of the board, here a few days ago.

The meeting is to be held on the Nodaway river bridge between Clearmont and Elmo, so that it will be nearer to all concerned in the district.

To Show Jungle Film Tonight.

The Empire theater will portray the feature photoplay "Between Savage and Tiger" tonight. It relates to adventures and shows scenes in the jungles of India.

VILLA AND CARRANZA CLASH

Opposing Mexican factions in greatest battle today, near Torreon, El Paso Reports.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

El Paso, Texas, August 20.—Heavy fighting is in progress in the vicinity of Torreon. The main armies of Villa and Carranza are believed to be engaged in the greatest battle ever fought in the present trouble by the two factions.

W. A. BURRIS NOW CITY CLERK

Chester Bennett Retired from City Hall After 16 Months.

W. A. Burris became city clerk today, succeeding Chester Bennett, who resigned recently, after holding the office since April, 1914. Bennett has not yet decided what work he will take up.

BULGARIA IN SOON

BALKAN STATE COUNTRY TO JOIN ALLIES IN WAR, REPORTED.

SERBS CEDE MACEDONIA

Serbian Government Accepts Entente's Proposal to Give Province to New Ally—Will Assault Turks.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, August 20.—Dispatches from Rome and Athens announce that Serbia has accepted the allies' proposal, ceding Macedonia to Bulgaria, which means that Bulgaria will shortly join the allies in the European war.

Bulgaria has long been awaiting entrance into the war, but held out for the ceding of Macedonia by Serbia before it would enlist with the entente against the triple alliance. Bulgaria will be especially strong in the campaign against the Turks.

TO PROBE ARABIC SINKING

U. S. Government Will Not Consider It "Unfriendly Act" of Germany Pending Investigation.

Washington, August 20.—Secretary of State Lansing said today that the U. S. government is not convinced that the sinking of the White Star line ship, the Arabic, by a German submarine was deliberately unfriendly until complete information is received.

In the meantime, officials will make no attempt to form opinions.

New York, August 20.—State department reports show only two Americans missing in the sinking of the White Star liner Arabic.

BROTHER SAFE AT PORT ARTHUR

Dr. Fred Seafers Wires Maryville Relatives from Texas Storm District.

Mrs. Fred Curfman and Mrs. Ernest Welborn received a message this morning from their brother, Dr. C. Fred Seafers of Port Arthur, Texas, that he and his family were safe and none of them were injured in the recent storm that swept over the Texas coast towns.

Dr. Seafers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers of West Second street. His parents are at present in Colorado and have been spending the summer on a western tour.

FEDS ARE ON TOP

MARYVILLE NINE WILL WIN FIRST TOURNEY PRIZE, BELIEF.

BEAT HOPKINS 9 TO 3

Local Team Plays Bedford, Ia., Team in Final Game This Afternoon—Clearmont May Get Second.

Standing in the Ball Tourney.

	Won.	Lost.	Prct.
Maryville	2	0	1.00
Clearmont	1	1	.50
Hopkins	1	1	.50
Bedford	0	2	.00

Tourney Game Results Yesterday, Maryville 9, Hopkins 3. Clearmont 11, Bedford 3.

The Maryville Federals virtually cinched the first place position yesterday in the four-team base ball tournament, which ends at Hopkins today, by defeating the Hopkins team 9 to 3, in the first game of the afternoon. With the Bedford, Ia., team as its opponent this afternoon, things look easy for the Federals coming back with the jackpot of \$125.

Bedford has lost both games so far. It lost yesterday afternoon to Clearmont by the one-sided score of 3 to 11, and in the first day's contest by a score of 2 to 4 to Hopkins. Of course, things often go very queerly and unexpectedly in base ball, so crowing before ones chickens are hatched might be a little premature. Yet the betting is mostly for Maryville winning first prize.

The second place prize of \$100 lies between Hopkins and Clearmont, each having lost one game and won one game. With Hopkins and Clearmont playing each other today, an unusually fast game is expected, as each is set on getting nothing less than second place. The opinion of the majority of fans, it seems, is that Clearmont will take second place. Hopkins third place and Bedford fourth place.

Willey in the Box Today.

Maryville is pitching Willey again today, while Bedford intends to pitch Freeman of Corning for the full game, unless things go mightily against them. Rader may be substituted in that case. He starts the game yesterday against Clearmont but soon withdrew.

The Federal lineup this afternoon is: Willey, p.; Richardson, c.; Tilson, 1b.; Lynch, 2b.; Scott, 3b.; Palfreyman, ss.; Miller, If.; Carmichael, cf.; Mc-Clain, rf.

Hopkins intends to use A. C. Thomas, manager, in today's game against Clearmont, while Clearmont will again put Lange in the box.

The game between Maryville and Bedford is being played first.

Richardson Gets Home Run.

A large crowd attended the two games at Hopkins yesterday afternoon. Many went from Maryville, Bedford, Clearmont and other nearby towns, although the majority were from Hopkins and vicinity, judging from the rooting.

The first game was between the Maryville Federals and the Hopkins team. Hopkins started the scoring in the second inning by getting both Taylor and Thomas around the bases safely. They never got but one more during the game, that being in the seventh inning, when Bock secured an unearned run.

Maryville never began to score until the fourth inning and then it scored properly, all being secured on a home run hit to center field by Richardson. Palfreyman first got on through an error, while Lynch, the other scorer, got a single.

Richardson also brought in the next run, in the sixth inning, by hitting a three-bagger to the same spot, which brought in Lynch, who had got on, with a two-bagger. Richardson died on third.

Vaughn Pitched Game.

Maryville got two more runs in the seventh inning with Carmichael and Tilson doing the work on unearned runs. The final triumph came in the ninth inning when the score was made still more one-sided by Carmichael, Palfreyman and Lynch, each scoring.

Clay Vaughn of Burlington Junction was in the box for Maryville. He struck out 8 but was hit for nine bases. In fact he got away luckily, considering the number of wild balls he pitched and number of fair balls secured by Hopkins batters.

Harry "Frosty" Thomas, twirler for Hopkins, struck out fourteen, while he was hit for sixteen bases. Both sides made quite a few errors and near errors.

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BALL TOURNE HERE AS URGED

Maryville Federals, Hopkins, and Two Other Teams to Contest August 25, 26 and 27.

A three-days base ball tournament between four base ball teams of Nodaway county will be held on the Normal grounds here next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 25, 26 and 27, according to definite announcement made this afternoon by Cleve Funk, manager of the Federal team, which will represent Maryville in the tournament.

The teams which will contest with the Federals will be the teams of Hopkins, of Barnard or Guilford and of Clearmont or Burlington Junction. The probability is that it will be between Maryville, Hopkins, Clearmont and Barnard.

There will be two games played each afternoon of the tournament, the first beginning at 2 o'clock and the second immediately after the first ends.

The final advance disposal of season tickets for the six games are being sold today at \$1 each by a number of canvassers. It is expected that the necessary amount of money will be raised late today or tomorrow.

The prizes will probably be the same as those offered in the Hopkins tournament, first being \$125, second \$100, third \$75 and fourth \$50.

2 AMERICANS DIE WHEN ARABIC SUNK

REPORT DROWNING OF 17 OTHERS WHEN VESSEL IS TORPEDOED.

MUCH PRECAUTION WAS TAKEN; MONEY LOSS BIG

Captain of Steamer Equipped Lifeboats and Fitted Those Aboard With Floats—U. S. Investigates.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, August 20.—The twenty passengers of the White Star line Arabic, still missing, as a result of the sinking of the mammoth vessel yesterday, include two Americans. Two lifeboats which put off from the Arabic when the torpedo struck it were capsized from overloading, just after being launched, it has been learned.

Most of the occupants of the lifeboats were saved, however, when picked up by the other lifeboats.

Two persons, wounded when the torpedo struck, later died. White Star officials report only six passengers still missing.

Captain Finch, in command of the Arabic, is said to have taken all possible precaution to avoid torpedoing and to save the passengers if such should occur. The lifeboats were all in readiness for being launched, lifebelts were distributed to the passengers in advance and all warned.

The money loss will run high, as the Arabic carried a large consignment of gold to Morgan & Co. of New York, also a large amount of stock bonds for New York houses.

New York, August 20.—The White Star line officials here issued a statement today showing nineteen passengers of the ill-fated Arabic missing, including four Americans.

Must Come Some Time.

W. J. Skidmore, editor of the New Era of Skidmore, in Monroe township, expressed himself as follows this week relative to the bond proposition:

We can never expect to have concrete bridges and culverts unless we pay for them.

If bonds are issued they can be put in within a reasonably short time.

If we do not issue bonds it will be quite a while before we will have them as our annual road tax is not sufficient to construct many, and sometimes none each year.

If we wait to have the work done some of us will donate and some will not, so while that way is just as sure to get results if it is kept up long enough, it is very uncertain and slow.

We all want better roads and it isn't so much of a question of paying for them, as they will have to be paid for whenever we get them, but it is whether we want them now or wait years for them.

Visiting in the East.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Angell of East Third street left yesterday for a visit of several weeks at Pittsburgh, Pa.

ADMIT BOND NEEDS

NODAWAY AND MONROE TOWNSHIPS MAY ISSUE ROAD MONEY

TAKES TWO-THIRD VOTE

Necessity for More Finances for Repairing Flood Damage Expressed by All—4 Have Taken Step.

That the proposition to vote \$35,000 in bonds for bridge and road improvements in Nodaway township next Tuesday will carry by a safe number over a two-thirds majority is the opinion held by many who have canvassed the situation there.

Whether the proposition to vote \$25,000 in Monroe township for the same purpose next Tuesday will carry is doubtful, leaders of that section report.

It is generally held by all voters of both townships that the money is needed for the bridge improvements. But opponents claim that the taxes already are so high that they cannot afford to vote more.

The fact that it requires a two-thirds majority for such a proposition to carry makes it rather difficult of success.

A number of boosters have been at work in both townships recently, however, urging the voters to vote the bonds and thereby improve road conditions.

Four Have Made the Step.

Four townships in Nodaway county already have voted bonds for this purpose in this city next Thursday, August 26. About 150 delegates and visitors are expected to be at the meeting in addition to the members of the local lodge.

The sessions will be held in the Odd Fellows hall, on West Third street, and will last through the afternoon and evening. Mrs. Verdie Davis, vice president of the state assembly, will be the presiding officer and will conduct a school of instruction in the afternoon and give an address in the evening.

Those who have been canvassing the voters and are in a position to know the general sentiment, believe that the bonds will carry by a substantial majority.

Sentiment in favor of the issue continues to increase as the time for the election approaches, and some who expressed themselves as against the issue are now among its supporters.

Overseers Report Much Damage.

Vote for the bonds and it will not be necessary to get out after heavy rains and gopher around in the mud fixing temporary bridges and culverts.

That the township is very much in need of money with which to do bridge work is proven by the report of the road overseers, who have been requested by the township board to inspect their districts carefully and make an estimate on the cost.

Wm. Klute, overseer in district 32, estimates that it will require \$2,500 to put the culverts and bridges in his district in passable condition. There are seventeen culverts needing repairs and six or seven in very bad shape. W. C. Moorman, overseer in district 34, reports that it will require at least \$1,600 to make repairs in his district.

The damage will

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FIDS ARE ON TOP

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The score: R. H. E.
Hopkins .0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0—3 8 7
Maryville .0 0 3 0 1 2 0 3—9 8 4
Bedford Far Outclassed.

That Bedford is outclassed in the tournament was pretty well demonstrated yesterday afternoon when Clearmont defeated that lowa nine by the one-sided score of 11 to 3. Bedford got two of its scores in the second inning and the final one in the fourth.

Clearmont began scoring in the first inning, by getting two safely home, while it almost clinched the game by making four scores in the second inning. Rader first took the box for Bedford but was succeeded by Reed in the second inning. Hayes of Omaha went through the game for Clearmont, by striking out 9. Rader and Reed each struck out one.

The score: R. H. E.
Clearmont 2 4 1 0 0 0 0 2 2—11 18 5
Bedford .0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0—3 9 6

THREW BRIDGE TOOLS IN RIVER.

Practical Jokers Also Cast Supplies
for 102 River Span in Stream.

Peter Shaffer reports that when the men who are building the bridge spanning the new channel of the 102 river, east of the old Mack farm, near Hopkins, went to work the other morning they found most of the tools in the bed of the stream, it being necessary for one of the men to swim to recover a crowbar that happened to be sticking up on an "island" in the stream.

Some of the loose lumber of the structure also had been thrown into the water. It has been traced to a quartet of young people, two boys and two girls, and while we do not know who they are, we hope they will never again be guilty of doing such a mean act.

Of course, it was done thoughtlessly, but Mr. Shaffer says if any more such work is done the guilty ones will be prosecuted.—Hopkins Journal.

Returns to His Home.

Dr. L. C. Bouton of Stanberry, Conn., who has been visiting Dr. H. C. Conrad and family here since Wednesday, left today for his home, by way of Davenport, Ia., where he will visit a few days.

Musk in its pure state is so radioactive that, if held close to the body for a time, it will produce sores similar to those caused by radium.

CLYDE FARMER BADLY HURT

W. B. Wobbe Falls Off Granary Roof—Injury to Spine Causes Paralysis—Condition Serious.

The condition of W. B. Wobbe, living southwest of Clyde, who is in a serious state from injuries received when he fell from the roof of his granary last Tuesday afternoon, was unimproved today.

Mr. Wobbe had been making some repairs to the roof, and had finished his work and started to come down. Just as he stepped on the ladder it slipped and Mr. Wobbe lost his balance and fell to the ground.

The fall caused a serious injury to Mr. Wobbe's spine, resulting in a complete paralysis of the lower part of his body. Mr. Wobbe is nearly 80 years old and his recovery is doubtful.

THE FARMER'S VACATION.

The business man, the professional man, even the girl in the kitchen of the city home, expects a vacation. And when they take it, and wisely, too, when work is slack, which usually means at the time when the farmer has pressing business of his own to occupy all his time. The farmer is made of the same clay as the business and professional man. He needs a vacation; but he can't take it when the city people usually take theirs.

Some tell us that the best way to take a vacation is to take it piecemeal. We believe that is true in a great many cases. The farmer can take his vacation piecemeal; and the first two pieces may well be his county and state fair. Wise people, when they take a vacation, undertake to combine mental and physical improvement with rest.

In fact, the best vacation for the man who labors with his mind is not to do nothing, but to have a change of work, and part of it physical exercise. We have never yet had a real vacation in which we did not work as hard as we do at home, but in a different way, and we believe that is the way to get the most good out of a vacation.

The farmer who takes a day or two off to attend his county fair, and a week off to attend his state fair, has not only a good opportunity to see acquaintances and friends, which is perhaps the best part of a vacation, but of looking at his business from a new point of view. He gets new ideas about live stock, about grains, about crops, about farm management. There is no place where he can do this better than at the state fair.

All these fairs have already a farm crowd. In all of them the farm interests are predominant. The state fair is the best place to study farmers as a whole, to get their points of view, to catch their spirit, to learn to understand them. It's quite as important for farmers to understand each other as it is that they understand the people in the town, and even more so. In fact, much of the dissatisfaction of farmers with farm life would disappear if they learned to understand each other. They lack the spirit of comradeship, of companionship, which is quite as essential in order that farmers get along with each other as it is for the business and professional men.

In planning to attend the fair, don't forget the boy and the girl. Don't be afraid that something will happen to them, if you can't go along. They will perhaps learn more at the fair than you will. Don't let your girl go without proper attendance, however, and about the best attendance she can have is a brother or whom she can rely, and who, in the spirit of true chivalry,

will give her the protection a brother owes to his sister, and that every farm-born young man owes to any farm-born girl.—Wallace's Farmer.

LEO FRANK'S BODY BURIED.

Funeral of Ill-Fated Prisoner is Held at New York—Police Keep Curious Back.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, August 20.—Leo Frank was buried here at 9 o'clock this morning. The police kept the crowd of curious persons back.

TO OPEN FAIR LUNCH STAND.

Young Women of St. Mary's Church Will Serve Refreshments at County Fair.

The young women of St. Mary's Catholic church have purchased stand rights at the county fair and will serve lunches and soft drinks during the entire week of the fair. The booth will be located just north of the grand stand, and the women will serve sandwiches, soda pop and other light refreshments.

A committee from among the members will be in charge each day, and at the night entertainments.

UNION SERVICES OPEN SUNDAY.

Churches of Barnard Will Join in Evangelistic Tent Meetings.

A union tent meeting under the leadership of Evangelists De Haye and Paffenberger, will open at Barnard Sunday.

A large tent has been erected in the yard of the South Methodist church in which to hold the meetings.

The general committee on arrangements is composed of J. E. Akey, I. C. Roelofson, R. P. Nelson, P. R. Melvin, John Rasco, G. T. Thompson, Leonard Mendenhall and Dr. Gillett.

Had a Good Wheat Crop.

Will B. Gex of near Graham, was in the city today and reported that his wheat crop averaged a little more than 30 bushels to the acre. He had twenty-five acres and the total yield was 848 bushels.

Guest at Glass Home.

Miss Ora McMillen of Topeka, Kan., who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolfers of Pickerington, came to Maryville this morning to spend the week end at the home of her uncle, W. W. Glass, and family.

Iowa Visitors Leave.

Mrs. W. R. Ashford and daughter, Marian, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. Ashford's father, W. D. Ashford, will leave tonight for Omaha, Neb., to visit friends before returning home.

Mrs. L. E. Thomas and son, Marvin, of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville at noon to visit until tomorrow night with Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Thomas.

Breaking the glass in a new fire alarm box intended for hotel or office building rooms permits the alarm to be sounded and frees a fire escape rope and harness.

Will Move Here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Hazelrigg of near Harrold, S. D., who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. T. Manley, will move to Maryville within the next month or so. Mr. Hazelrigg was a resident of this city twenty years ago. He has been suffering with dropsy but is much better now. Mr. and Mrs. Hazelrigg will go to Savannah tomorrow to visit their son, B. B. Hazelrigg.

My office will be closed until September 9, as I will be out of town.

DR. JESSE MILLER.

To Play on Normal Grounds.

The base ball game between the Maryville Giants, a "kid" base ball team, and the Wilcox Whirlwinds, will be played tomorrow afternoon on the Normal grounds, instead of at Federal park, Russell Rohey, Giants Manager, announces.

Home from the West.

Mr. and Mrs. James Colby of this city and Mrs. Colby's sister, Mrs. G. E. Alexander, of Medicine Lodge, Kan., returned yesterday from a month's western trip. Mrs. Alexander will visit her at the home of her father, Joseph Jackson, Sr., before going to Kansas.

Dr. H. J. Tandy, chiropadist and foot specialist, will be at Dr. Todd's office. Dr. Tandy treats all foot ailments, corns, callous, bunions, nail troubles, broken arches, etc. Will make residence calls. Office phone 29. Residence, Mrs. Shipp's, both phones.

TO HOLD ALL-DAY SERVICE.

Good Hope Congregation Will Gather for Annual Meet Sunday.

The people of the Good Hope church, west of Hopkins, have arranged for an all-day service and basket dinner to be held at the church grove next Sunday. There will be preaching services in the morning and afternoon and a good musical program at each service.

This occasion is an annual one with the Good Hope people and a large crowd is expected to be there.

WILL GIVE SERIES OF LECTURES.

Temperance to Be Discussed at First Christian Church Next Week.

A series of lectures, beginning Sunday morning, will be given in this city next week by Mrs. Crisman McMillen of Omaha. The lectures will be in the interest of the temperance movement, and the first one will be given at the First Christian church at the usual morning hour of service, Mrs. McMillen occupying the pulpit in the place of the pastor, the Rev. Robert Lyle Finch, who is out of the city.

Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Mrs. McMillen will give an open-air lecture, speaking from the band stand in the court house square. The dates for the other lectures of the week will be announced later.

No admission will be charged at any time. Mrs. McMillen has been working in the temperance movement for some time, and comes to this city with the highest of recommendations and references.

The subjects of Mrs. McMillen's lectures, in the order of their giving, will be "Obedience, a Divine Command;" "Temperance from a Biblical Standpoint;" "Vice Versus Virtue; or Why Our Girls Fall;" "Vice Versus Virtue; or Why Our Boys Fall;" "What We as Parents and Teachers Owe the Rising Generation," and "Duty From a Biblical Standpoint."

* STOCK MARKET *

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 300.

Hogs—19,000. Market 5¢ higher; top, \$7.70. Estimate tomorrow, 7,000.

Sheep—6,000. Market 10¢ higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—400. Market steady.

Hogs—4,000. Market strong; top, \$7.35; bulk at \$6.50@7.10.

Sheep—None.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle, 100. Market steady.

Hogs—500. Market steady; top, \$7.05.

Sheep—2,500. Market steady.

GRANARIES.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, August 29.—WHEAT—September, \$1.04¢; December, \$1.04.

CORN—September, 70¢; December, 66¢.

FINE A DRUNK \$5.

A. T. Gilliland was fined \$5 and costs of \$6.10 in police court this morning when he pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness.

MISS GAY ON VACATION.

Miss Mabel Gay, who is employed in the dental office of Dr. Jesse Miller, will start Saturday morning on a three weeks vacation trip, which will be spent visiting her sister, Mrs. John Richardson of Yuma, Col., and with friends at Milner, Idaho.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hart and children of Parnell wish to extend their sincere thanks and appreciation to all their neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy at the death of their dear little son and brother, Virgil Lee Hart.

VISITING BEDISON RELATIVES.

W. J. Nixon of Walter, Okla., arrived at Bedison Wednesday night to visit his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Kidd, and family. Mr. Nixon left his home July 1 for a visit with his sisters, children and grandchildren, and it will take him to places in Oklahoma, Kansas, Arkansas, Iowa and Missouri.

GRANT CITY CLUB TO PICNIC.

The Grant City Commercial club will hold its second annual picnic and athletic contests at Houser's park, that city, September 1. In the way of imported amusement there will be the Dixie Danglers and Nels Darling, that well known speaker on civic betterment.

A number of athletic contests have been arranged.

MISS SHELDON TO FALTON.

Miss Maud Sheldon is at St. Louis where she will spend a while at the wholesale millinery houses and then go to Fulton, Mo., where she will be employed this winter.

FOWL BREEDERS TO PICNIC

Northwest Missouri Association to Observe "Fried Chicken Day," Sept. 1 at Fair Grounds.

"Fried chicken day," September 1, will be observed by the Northwest Missouri Poultry association with a picnic and luncheon, consisting primarily of fried and stewed chicken on the grounds at the county fair here, according to announcement made today by J. H. Sayler, secretary of the association.

Every one in the county that is interested in promoting the poultry industry, whether he be a member of the association or not, is urged to attend the luncheon and picnic and help celebrate the first annual state observance of "Fried chicken day," September 1.

The picnic will probably be held in the grove directly east of the race tracks at the fair grounds, although possibly at the southwest corner of the concession grounds.

The poultry display at the county fair this year will be held in a tent near Floral hall. Judge Sayler announced today, owing to the fact that floral hall will be entirely filled with exhibits in household arts, fruits, grains and vegetables. The poultry displays also were held in that building last year.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTES POPULAR.

Number of Meetings and Attendance Increases Yearly—Held 25,238 Last Year.

Both the number of farmers' institutes held each year and the attendance at these meetings is steadily increasing, according to report on farmers' institute work which has just been published by the department of agriculture. During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, the report states, 25,238 of these institutes were held throughout the country, with a total attendance of 3,656,381.

This is an increase in attendance of 26 per cent over that of any previous year. On the other hand, the expense of conducting the work was nearly \$63,000 less than last year, the total cost for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, being \$447,897.51.

The farmers' institute organization conducts its work under many different forms, so that it is almost impossible to summarize its activities briefly. For example, in addition to the ordinary meetings there were movable schools in thirteen states which had a registered attendance of 112,498 different people.

Field demonstration meetings were also held in fifteen states although no record of the attendance was kept. Special railroad trains were organized in seventeen states to aid in giving lectures and demonstrations.

Frank Schumacher attended the baseball games at Hopkins yesterday.

14th Year Here**RELIABILITY****Dr. Prettyman**

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MISSOURI MILITIA SHAKEUP

Third Regiment Disbanded Following Request for Resignations.

Kansas City, Aug. 29.—The Third regiment Missouri national guard, was disbanded by an order signed by Adjutant General John B. O'Meara. The disbanding follows closely the request for the resignations of four regimental officers, made here by General Harvey Clark, commanding general of the regiment.

Three of the four resigned, but by the new action the resignations will not be effective, as the officers will be recorded as "honorable discharged." The officers affected are Fred A. Lamb, colonel; Claude M. Congdon, lieutenant colonel, and Nat D. Jackson and George McGinnis, majors of the regiment.

The regiment will be reorganized at once, General Clark announced.

RECEIVER IS ASKED

Million Dollar Publishing Company Unable to Pay \$459.

Cincinnati, Aug. 20.—Suit was filed in the superior court for the appointment of a receiver for the Home and Country Publishing company, publisher of the Home and Country magazine.

It is alleged that although the company is capitalized at \$1,500,000, and nearly all of the capital stock has been sold to women investors throughout the United States, a judgment for \$159 for the services of girl stenographers and printers given in the municipal court in July remains unpaid because no leviable property possessed by the company could be found in this city. The petition asks that when a receiver is appointed that he be authorized to collect unpaid balances on the stock sold.

May Remove Capital to Moscow.

London, Aug. 20.—Russian government officials are considering the removal of the capital from Petrograd to Moscow, according to the correspondent of the London Post.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept., \$1.05%; Dec., \$1.04%. Corn—Sept., 75¢-6c; Dec., 64¢c. Oats—Sept., 29¢-3c; Dec., 38¢c. Pork—Sept., \$12.77%; Oct., \$13.99. Lard—Sept., \$8.12%; Jan., \$8.65. Ribs—Sept., \$8.72%; Oct., \$8.89.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady; native beef steers, \$6.25; westerns, \$7.75-\$9.25; cows and heifers, \$3.10-\$5. ca'nes, \$4.00-\$1.15. Hogs—Receipts, 17,900; sow to 56; lye lower; half of \$5.50-\$6.50; lye lower; half of \$5.50-\$6.50; heavy, \$6.80-\$7.75; mixed, \$7.50-\$8.50; light, \$7.50-\$8.50; heavy, \$7.50-\$8.50; pigs, \$4.90-\$7.80. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; firm, sheep, \$5.50-\$6.15; lambs, \$6.40-\$7.75.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Aug. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,730; steady; native beef steers, \$7.50-\$9.50; cows and heifers, \$5.50-\$7.50; steers, \$6.50-\$7.50; calves, \$7.50-\$9.50. Hogs—Receipts, 17,900; sow to 56; lye lower; half of \$5.50-\$6.50; heavy, \$6.80-\$7.75; mixed, \$7.50-\$8.50; light, \$7.50-\$8.50; heavy, \$7.50-\$8.50; pigs, \$4.90-\$7.80. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; firm, sheep, \$5.50-\$6.15; lambs, \$6.40-\$7.75.

On Auto Trip to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dougan have started on an auto trip through Colorado. The objective point of their trip is Sedgwick, where they will visit Mr. Dougan's sister, Mrs. C. W. Arens. Before returning they will stop at various places of interest.

Auto Strikes Elderly Woman.

During the rush of auto drivers, following the band concert last night, to become "extricated" from the jam on the square, an elderly woman was struck a glancing blow by an automobile being backed, at Third and Main streets. She was but slightly injured.

Will Visit at Clyde.

Miss Nan Kinney of Omaha, Neb., who has been visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ferritor, went to Clyde last night, where she will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Enis.

Guests at Barmann Home.

Toel Lorance, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lorance of Des Moines, Ia., is in Maryville for a two weeks visit with Francis Barmann.

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SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

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For the Housewife's File.

According to the September Woman's Home Companion, September is the month for all housekeepers:

"To make the acquaintance of your children's new teachers.

"To plan varied and healthful school lunches.

"To see that the furnace and pipes are in working order.

"To do all necessary painting around the house and fences.

"To have the roof examined and repaired if necessary.

"To choose and order any new wall paper.

"To look over the winter bedding, recover comforts and mattresses."

To Give Social.

The Bedison church will hold an ice cream festival at the church Saturday night. The proceeds will be applied on the church fund. Every one is invited to attend.

W. R. C. to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Women's Relief Corps will be held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the hall. There is to be initiatory work and all members are urged to be present at the meeting.

Picnic and Theater Party.

A picnic party and supper at Normal park last night given for the pleasure of Misses May and Helen Sullivan of Chicago, who are house guests of the P. J. Tobin family, included in its crowd the Misses Sullivan, Miss Clara Sherlock, Miss Margaret Heffern, Misses Elizabeth and Marie Cook, Misses Mary and Helen Tobin and Miss Agnes Sherlock.

The church of Bedison will hold an ice cream social at the church Saturday night. Everyone is invited.

That a patent for a screw propelled steam vessel had been issued as far back as 1863 recently was discovered in the French patent office.

Things are looking serious because fast indigo dyes come from Germany

Miss Kraus, Miss Helen McNellis, Miss Hilda Lahr, Miss Mamie Dougan, Miss Gertrude Lahr, Miss Elizabeth Heffern, Miss Anna McNellis, Miss Elizabeth Doran and Mrs. Martin G. McQuinn.

The hostess was assisted in entertaining by her sister, Mrs. McQuinn of Clyde, who is spending a few days at the Dougan home.

BRYAN DIDN'T SEE POINT.

Jest at Expense of Former Secretary of State is Told.

By way of entertainment of Vice-President Marshall at the Hotel Robidoux at St. Joseph recently, someone told the latest story of which William Jennings Bryan is the butt.

"Did you hear that Bryan has lost a lot of money lately?" asked the narrator.

"No, how was that?" asked someone in the crowd, who had been previously coached.

"Why," was the answer, "he talked for two hours in his sleep."

The crowd laughed loudly, and Mr. Marshall said: "Yes, I'd heard that. I told it to Bryan himself the other day."

"How did he take it?" asked the narrator.

"He didn't seem to see the point," said Marshall.—News-Press.

To dry a shaving brush and protect it from dust there has been patented a celluloid cylinder, perforated for the circulation of air.

A German agriculturist has developed a method of extracting the fibrous inner bark of hop vines for use in the manufacture of cordage.

OVERALLS MAY CHANGE COLORS.

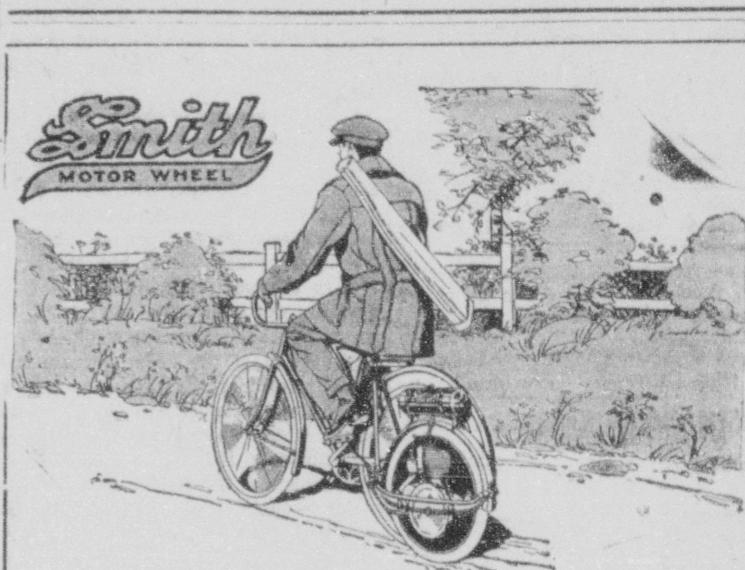
Conventional Blue Will Soon Be Unobtainable, If Dyes Are Not Obtained.

Wouldn't a man look funny running around in a pair of yellow, red, or green overalls, instead of the conventional blue? Ask a manufacturer of overalls that he will reply that it is not a laughing matter. There is nothing funny about the situation; in fact, it is serious; and there is a possibility that the bright, funny colors may have to be substituted for fast blue now used universally by the man who toils.

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only, and now, that the United States cotton cloth manufacturers cannot get this indigo dye, something else may have to be substituted.

In fact, substitutes are being tried now on a small scale, but the manufacturers do not want to risk putting out too many goods which are not strictly standard.—St. Joseph Gazette.

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**ELIHU ROOT LEADS
BAR ASSOCIATION**
Resolutions Are Adopted De-nouncing Frank Lynch.

Salt Lake, Aug. 20.—United States Senator Elihu Root of New York was unanimously elected president of the American Bar association at its closing business session on recommendation of the general council of the association. Walter George Smith of Philadelphia was a candidate against Senator Root before the council, but his name was not presented to the convention.

The association unanimously adopted a resolution pronouncing the Frank lynchings "a wilful and deliberate murder by mob violence," and urging every effort to bring the perpetrators to trial.

GERMANS SEIZE NORSE MAIL

Incident Arouses Storm of Indignation at Christiania.

Christiania, Norway, Aug. 20.—The halting of the Norwegian mail steamer Haakon VII. and the seizure of mail on board by a German submarine have been followed by a protest to Berlin and a demand for the return of the mails to Norway. The Haakon VII. was bound from Bergen to England.

The postmaster general reports that the commander of the German submarine ordered the jettisoning of all printed matter and packages destined to England, France, Italy, or other countries hostile to Germany. All letters and remittance money are said to have been taken aboard the submarine. Included were seven sacks of mail from Denmark.

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Puebla, Mex., Aug. 20.—Thousands of people in Mexico City are starving and bodies of women and children are daily being picked up in the streets there, according to an American Red Cross agent who arrived here from the capital. The city is at the mercy of a band of half mad Indians.

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TO CURE SORES ON HORSES

Bursaiti or So-Called Festers Prevent Animals Working—To Treat.

Many horse owners at this season of the year find that their horses are troubled by sores which resist usual methods of treatment, and which in this respect differ from ordinary wounds says the report from the department of agriculture. These growths or sores are supposed to be of fungous origin. Their true nature and cause, however, have not been definitely determined.

They are especially prevalent in the Southern states, and are called summer sores on account of their persistence and the difficulty with which they are healed during the summer season. As cool weather approaches, healing frequently takes place, but there is always the possibility of the wound breaking out anew with the advent of warm weather. They may appear on any portion of the body, but are especially troublesome when occurring on the lower parts of the limbs or at points where the harness touches.

Frequently the first indication or appearance of the trouble is a small lump resembling a grain of shot beneath the skin. In a few days the skin sloughs off over the spot, leaving a raw surface. This increases in size until in a few weeks there is a raw surface from one to several inches in diameter.

Commonly there is intense itching, and the animal bites and rubs the parts, aggravating the condition and increasing the size of the sore. The edges of these sores are usually rough in appearance and raised above the surface of the skin. When examined closely they appear like a mass of dark bruised tissue in which is embedded more or less of a yellow, gritty growth.

Numerous methods of treatment have been resorted to in this condition, with varying results, and frequently no improvement is noted until the approach of cold weather.

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COLLEGE EDUCATION PROGRESS.

Many Young People Now Get Higher Learning, Statistics Show.

There were 216,493 students in colleges, universities, and technological schools in 1914, according to the annual report of the Commissioner of Education, just issued. This is an increase of 14,262 over 1913. The bureau's list for 1914 includes 567 institutions, a decrease of 29 over the preceding year. States or municipalities control 93 of the colleges; private corporations control 474. Men still outnumber women in higher education; there were 139,737 men in 1914 and 77,120 women, as compared with 128,644 men and 73,587 women in 1913. Despite rising standards of admission and graduation, college enrollment has more than tripled since 1890.

Receipts during the year totaled \$120,579,257, of which \$18,422,856 was for endowment. Benefactions to colleges and universities totaled \$26,270,017, something over \$2,000,000 more than in the year previous. Six institutions received benefactions in excess of a million dollars apiece, and 45 universities, colleges, and technological schools reported gifts amounting to more than \$100,000. In the past seven years the largest increase in income has come through state and municipal appropriations, and the appropriations grew from \$9,649,549 in 1908 to \$23,400,540 in 1914, while fees for tuition and other educational services increased from \$15,390,847 to \$22,504,529.

The dominant note of the year in higher education, according to the report, was concentration, both in internal organization and authoritative classification gained momentum during the year, chiefly through the activities of several voluntary associations. The junior college movement has reached the point where several states—notably Wisconsin, Missouri, Virginia and Idaho—have gone on record as definitely recognizing junior colleges in the educational system of the state. The Municipal University of Akron, Ohio, was added to the list of city universities, and the new "Association of Urban Universities" established in the fall of 1914, lends emphasis to this municipal-university development.

Degrees conferred by colleges and universities included 26,533 bachelors, 6,248 graduate, and 749 honorary. The degree of doctor of philosophy was conferred as the result of examination by 46 institutions on 446 men and 73 women.

Legal holidays in Missouri are Jan. 1, New Year's day; Feb. 22, Washington's birthday; May 30, Decoration day; first Tuesday in August, on which the state primary election is held; first Monday in September, Labor day; Oct. 12, Columbus day; first Tuesday in November, on which the general election is held; last Thursday in November, Thanksgiving day; Dec. 25, Christmas; and every Saturday afternoon in public offices in cities of more than 100,000 inhabitants.

Burlington to Play Malvern.

The Burlington Junction Boosters will play the Malvern Red Cross baseball team at Beaver park, Burlington Junction, Sunday afternoon. In the first game played between these two teams, Burlington Junction won by a score of 6 to 3.

Visiting at Atchison.

Mrs. T. J. Parle and son, Francis, went to Atchison, Kan., yesterday to visit Mrs. Parle's daughter, Sister Mary Augusta, at the Mt. St. Scholastica convent.

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REICHSTAG IN SESSION

Alleged Remarks of Grey Cause

Great Sensation in Berlin.

Berlin, Aug. 20.—Dr. von Bethmann Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, in a speech at the opening of the Reichstag, after a recess since May 30, in a sensational statement quoted the words which he declared Sir Edward Grey, spoke to the German ambassador at London when the latter took leave of the British foreign minister after the beginning of the war in August, 1914.

"Sir Edward Grey," said the chancellor, "emphasizing his words, said that war between the two countries would make it possible that at the conclusion of peace he could render more valuable services than had England remained neutral."

The chancellor explained that he intended these words to mean that England desired the friendship of a beaten and weakened Germany as a counter influence against powerful Russia. England would be ready to use such a Germany—a weak country, without industry and without a navy.

The chancellor's report of this scene in London caused a profound sensation in the Reichstag.

MORE TROOPS ARE LANDED

Effect of Allies to Gain Ground on Gallipoli Without Results.

London, Aug. 20.—Additional troops have been landed by the British at Suvla bay, Gallipoli peninsula. This announcement was made here officially.

The war office admits that after heavy fighting, in which no satisfactory progress was made, the British advance was halted. Losses on both sides were very large.

Recent cable dispatches have indicated that the French and British have determined upon a great attempt to capture the Dardanelles as speedily as possible.

Russia Calls For Recruits For 1916.

Paris, Aug. 20.—The Russian embassy announces that by decree of the emperor young men of the class of 1916 have been called to the colors, dating from Aug. 20. No exemptions whatever, by reasons of family connections or of study abroad, will be allowed, the announcement states.

Teutons Near Brest-Litovsk.

Berlin, Aug. 20.—A further advance on the part of the German army which is attempting to capture the important Russian fortress of Brest-Litovsk was announced here officially. The statement says that outer positions of the fortresses near Rostino, before Brest-Litovsk, were penetrated.

Ships car of Cattle to Chicago.

One of the best loads of cattle that has been shipped from Burlington Junction in years was sent to Chicago by W. N. Houston a few days ago, says the Post. The cattle averaged 1,533 pounds each at the local yards and were as fat as good feed could make them. The cattle sold for \$9.30.

Herschel Houston, who went with the load, said that it was almost impossible to sell heavy cattle at the Chicago market the first of this week, the demand being for lighter steers.

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